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"THE TOWN THAT COULDN'T BE TAKEN!"
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THE REDS HELD THE KOREAN TOWN OF SUCHON FOR NINE WEEKS, AND THEY BOASTED THAT THEY WOULD NEVER LOSE IT! BUT THAT WAS BEFORE THE U.S. MARINES CAME TO... ***THE TOWN THAT COULDN'T BE TAKEN!***

AHOY BELOW, GUNNY! MORE COMMIE CARGO BEING DUMPED!

DON'T SEND ANY MORE DOWN! I'VE GOT BOTH FISTS FULL NOW!

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BUT YOU DUMPED 'EM IN EXACTLY THE RIGHT PLACE, IRON MIKE! THANKS!

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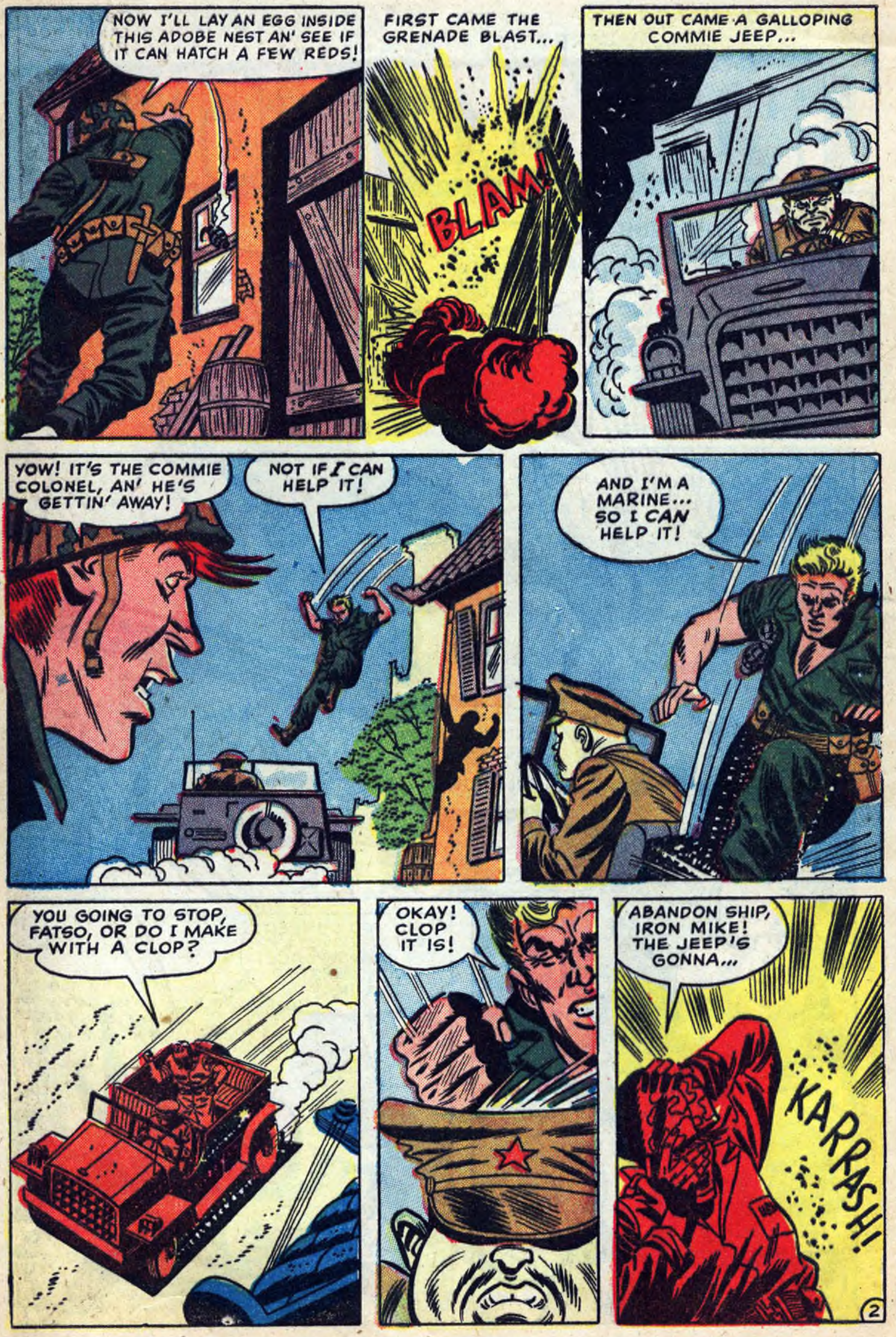
NOW I'LL LAY AN EGG INSIDE THIS ADOBE NEST AN' SEE IF IT CAN HATCH A FEW REDS!
FIRST CAME THE GRENADE BLAST...
BLAM!
THEN OUT CAME A GALLOPING COMMIE JEEP...
YOW! IT'S THE COMMIE COLONEL, AN' HE'S GETTIN' AWAY!
NOT IF I CAN HELP IT!
AND I'M A MARINE... SO I CAN HELP IT!
YOU GOING TO STOP, FATSO, OR DO I MAKE WITH A CLOP?
OKAY! CLOP IT IS!
ABANDON SHIP, IRON MIKE! THE JEEP'S GONNA...
KARRASH!
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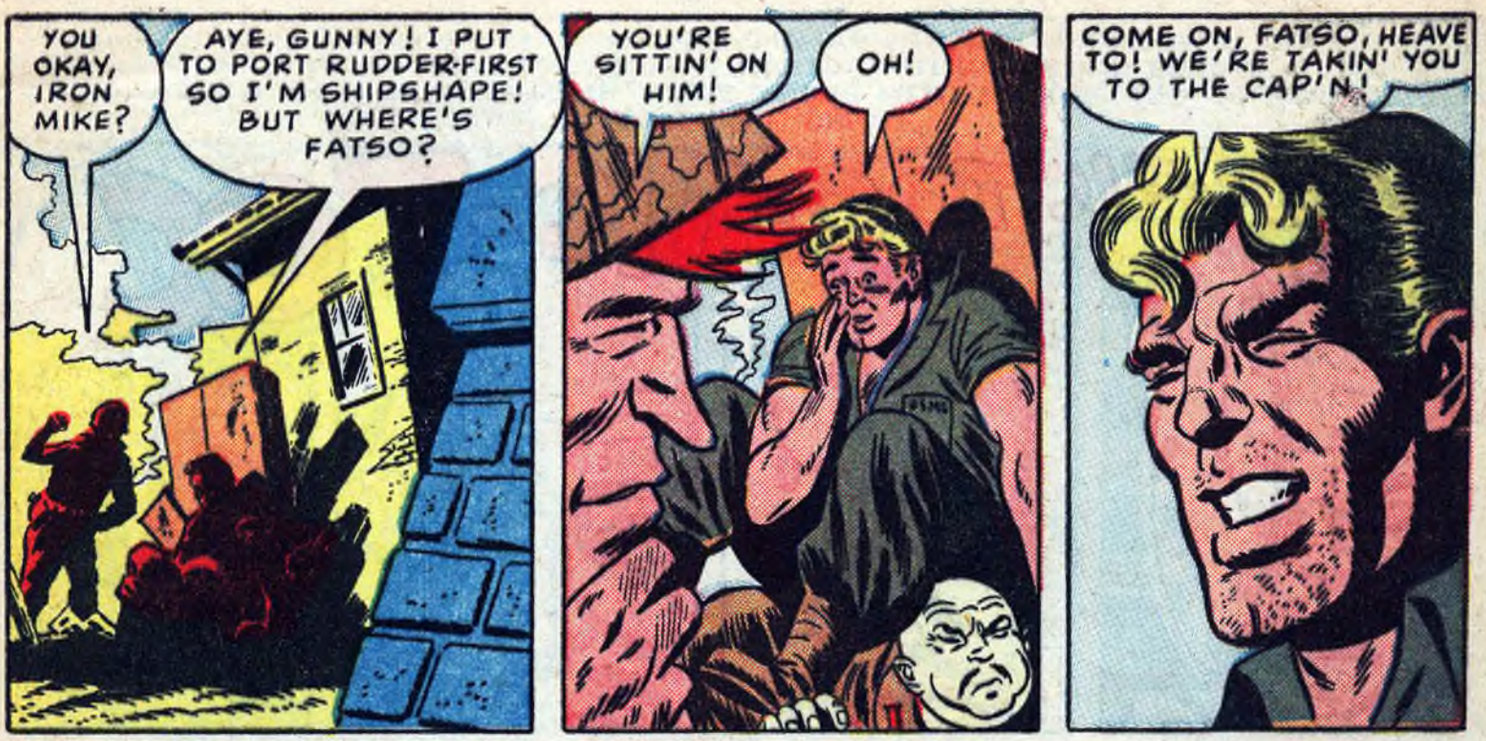
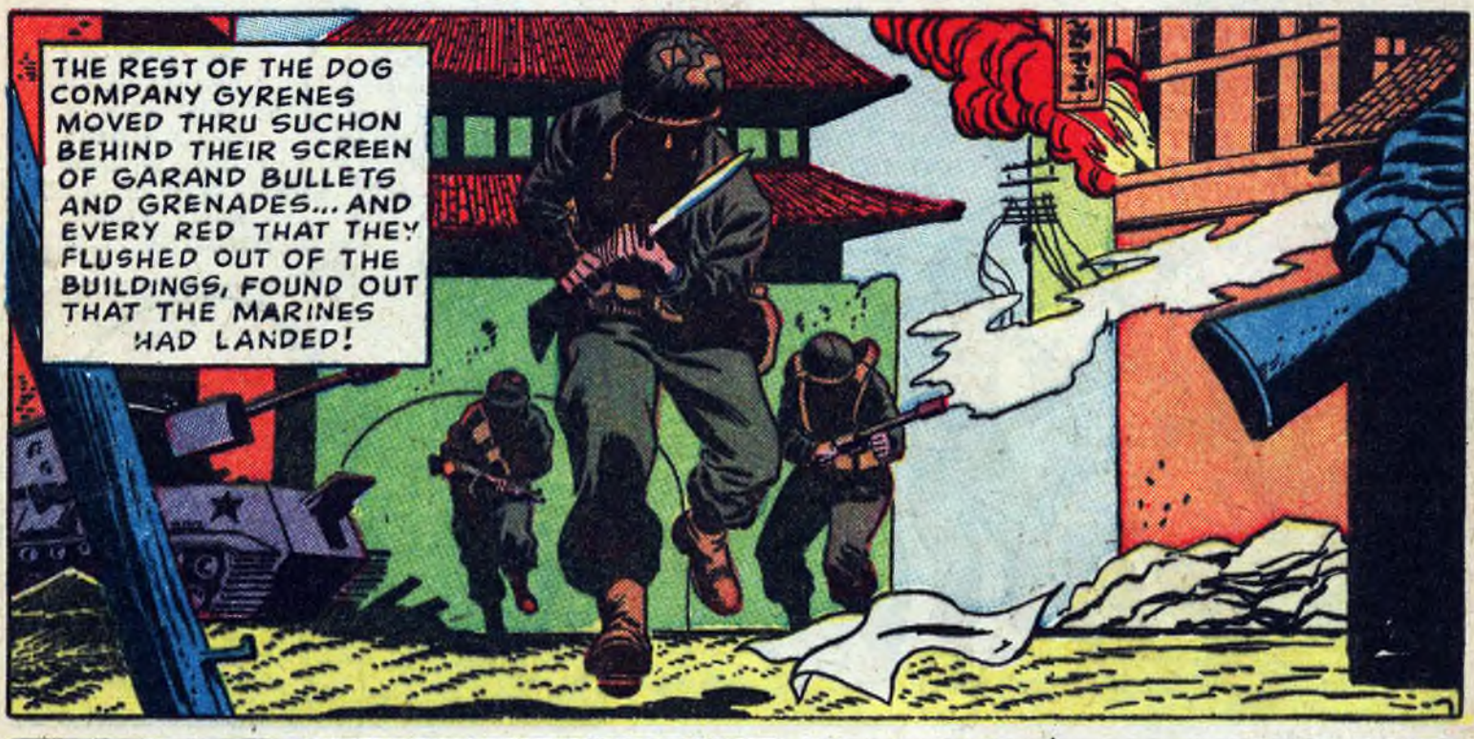
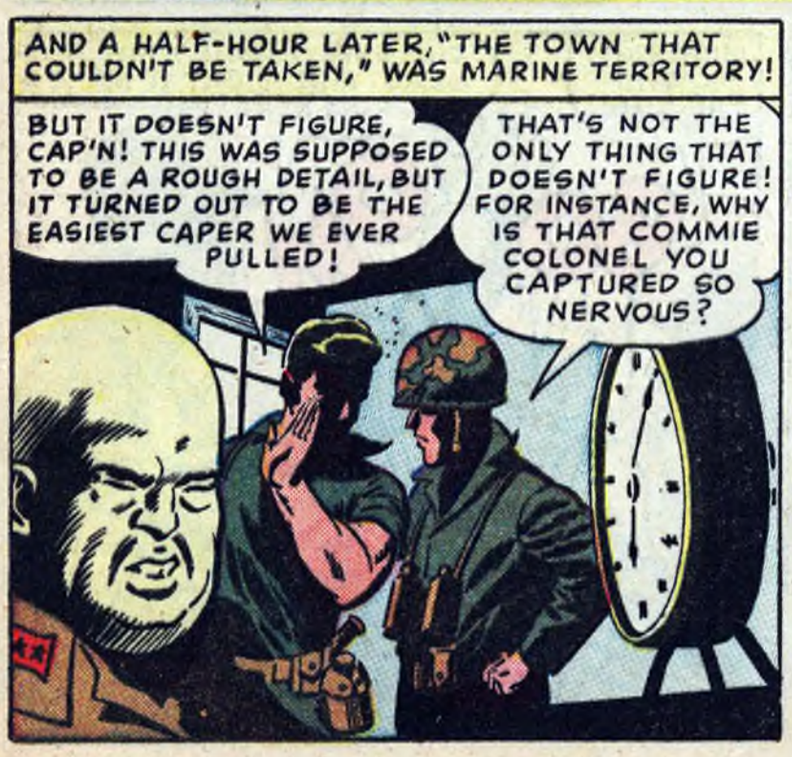
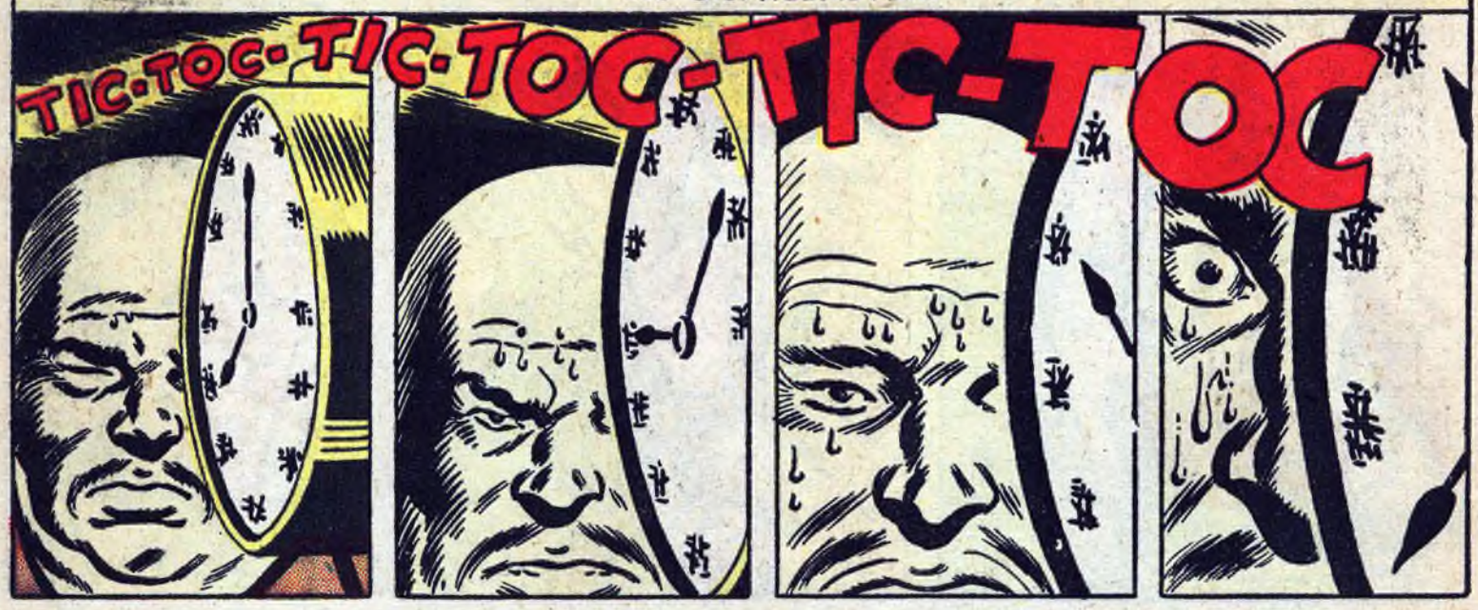

YOU OKAY, IRON MIKE?
AYE, GUNNY! I PUT TO PORT RUDDER-FIRST SO I'M SHIPSHAPE! BUT WHERE'S FATSO?
YOU'RE SITTIN' ON HIM!
OH!
COME ON, FATSO, HEAVE TO! WE'RE TAKIN' YOU TO THE CAP'N!


THE REST OF THE DOG COMPANY GYRENES MOVED THRU SUCHON BEHIND THEIR SCREEN OF GARAND BULLETS AND GRENADES... AND EVERY RED THAT THEY FLUSHED OUT OF THE BUILDINGS, FOUND OUT THAT THE MARINES HAD LANDED!

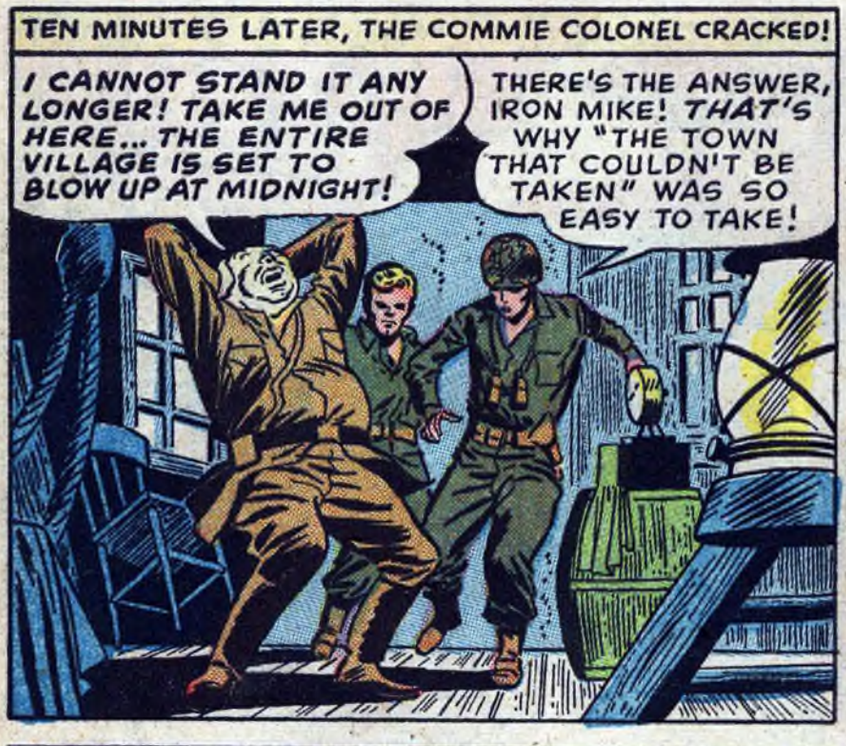

AND A HALF-HOUR LATER, "THE TOWN THAT COULDN'T BE TAKEN," WAS MARINE TERRITORY!
BUT IT DOESN'T FIGURE, CAP'N! THIS WAS SUPPOSED TO BE A ROUGH DETAIL, BUT IT TURNED OUT TO BE THE EASIEST CAPER WE EVER PULLED!
THAT'S NOT THE ONLY THING THAT DOESN'T FIGURE! FOR INSTANCE, WHY IS THAT COMMIE COLONEL YOU CAPTURED SO NERVOUS?

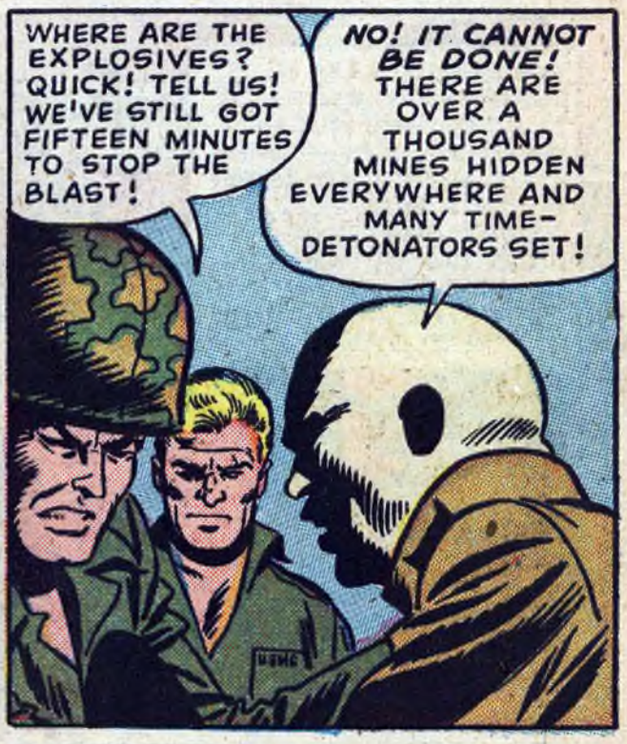
THE CAPTAIN DIDN'T HAVE THE ANSWERS, BUT THE REDS WHO HAD GIVEN UP SUCHON AND WERE OBSERVING IT FROM A HILL, DID HAVE THEM...
AT MIDNIGHT, TIME-DETONATORS WILL SET OFF THE MINES THAT WILL BLOW UP SUCHON! MOST REGRETTABLE THAT COMRADE COLONEL HONG WHO PLANNED SUCH BRILLIANT TRAP IS PRISONER OF 'MELICANS IN VILLAGE! NOW I AM IN COMMAND!

COLONEL HONG WOULDN'T TALK! HE SAT AND SQUIRMED... HE PACED AND PERSPIRED... AND HE KEPT HIS EYES NAILED ON THAT CLOCK! WITH EVERY *TICK* ANOTHER BUBBLE OF SWEAT POPPED OUT ON HIM! WITH EVERY *TOCK* HE GULPED AS IF HE WERE SWALLOWING G.I. HELMETS...



TEN MINUTES LATER, THE COMMIE COLONEL CRACKED!


I CANNOT STAND IT ANY LONGER! TAKE ME OUT OF HERE... THE ENTIRE VILLAGE IS SET TO BLOW UP AT MIDNIGHT!
THERE'S THE ANSWER, IRON MIKE! *THAT'S* WHY "THE TOWN THAT COULDN'T BE TAKEN" WAS SO EASY TO TAKE!


WHERE ARE THE EXPLOSIVES? QUICK! TELL US! WE'VE STILL GOT FIFTEEN MINUTES TO STOP THE BLAST!
NO! IT CANNOT BE DONE! THERE ARE OVER A THOUSAND MINES HIDDEN EVERYWHERE AND MANY TIME-DETONATORS SET!

AND ON THE HILL OVERLOOKING THE VILLAGE, THE RED ARMY WAITED...

TEN MORE SECONDS, COMRADE MAJOR!
AND AS SOON AS THE EXPLOSION IS OVER, *MY* TROOPS WILL ONCE AGAIN OCCUPY THE IMPORTANT POSITION!

A GIANT BLAZING MUSHROOM SPROUTED UNDER THE KOREAN VILLAGE OF SUCHON AND SCRAMBLED THE OLD SHACKS AND BUILDINGS INTO THE AIR!

BOOOM!

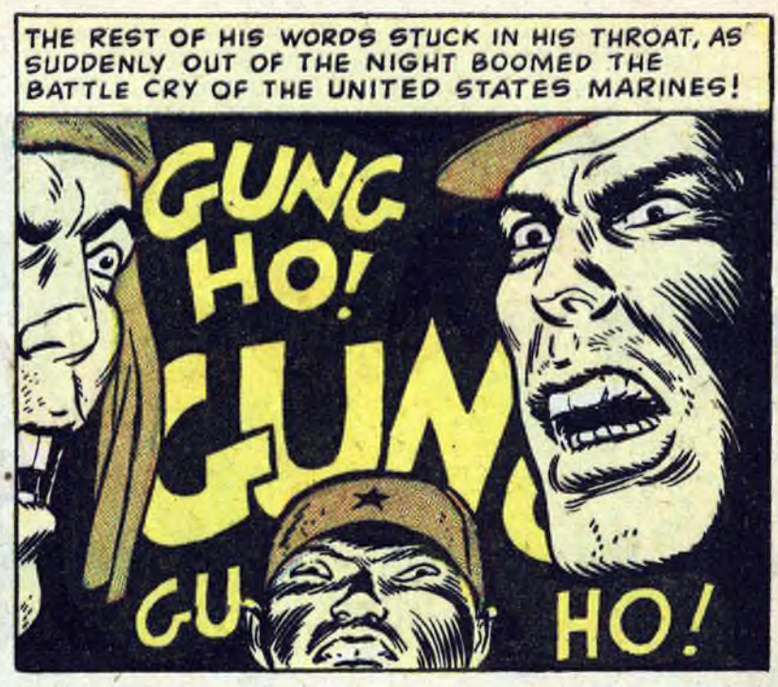
IT IS DONE! NOW LET US RETURN TO THE TOWN THAT COULD NOT BE TAKEN!

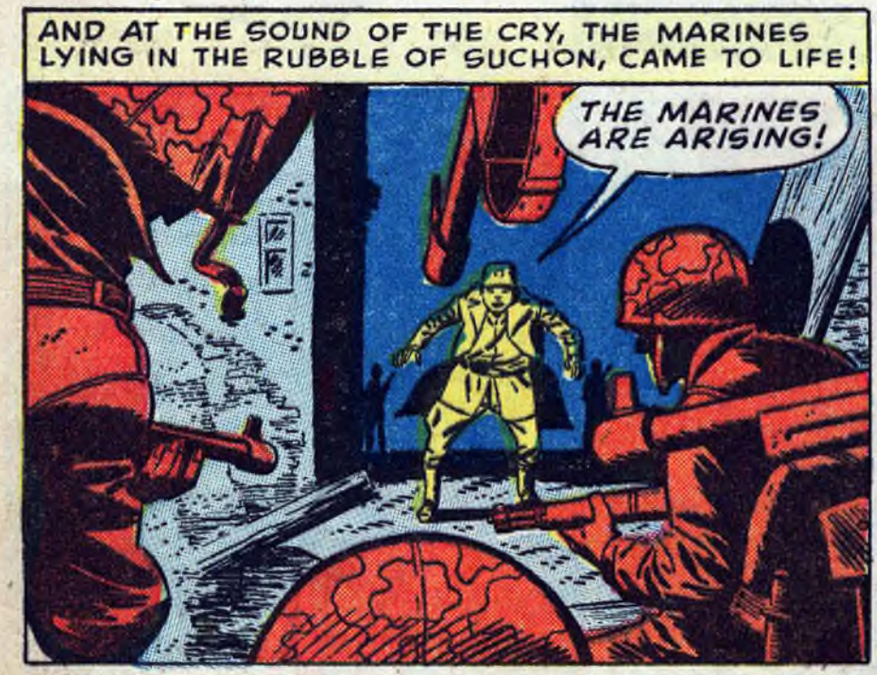
THE RED ARMY CHARGED DOWN THE SLOPES, SCREAMING AND HOWLING FOR A BATTLE...

BUT ONLY SILENCE GREETS US IN SUCHON, COMRADES!

NOTHING BUT SILENCE!

THE REDS LAUGHED AT THE SIGHT AND THE SELF-APPOINTED COMMANDER MADE A SPEECH...
HA! THE YONKEES ARE NO MORE! AND SAME WITH STUPID COLONEL HONG! NOW I TAKE ALL CREDIT!


THE REST OF HIS WORDS STUCK IN HIS THROAT, AS SUDDENLY OUT OF THE NIGHT BOOMED THE BATTLE CRY OF THE UNITED STATES MARINES!
GUNG HO!
GU
HO!



SO, MAJOR FOOSOW... YOU CALL ME STUPID! BUT I ONLY MAKE MYSELF PRISONER NOT ENTIRE RED ARMY!
STOP THEM BEFORE THEY DESTROY EACH OTHER!

LEAVING THE TOWN BEFORE THE EXPLOSION AND COMING BACK TO PLAY "DEAD" AFTER THE BLAST SURE FOOLED THE REDS, CAP'N!
YEAH, IRON MIKE! AND TAUGHT THEM NOT TO FOOL WITH THE U.S. MARINES!

IN THE MORNING, DOG COMPANY MOVED FORWARD TO OTHER TOWNS AND HILLS THAT "COULDN'T BE TAKEN"... UNTIL THE MARINES GOT THERE!
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Mike Marks, the first American soldier, grinned as he pulled a sandwich lunch out of a rucksack and offered half of it to his glowering friend, Hyle Blaven.

"Come on, enjoy yourself," he said. "We're off patrol duty for the first time in six months, and you look like you'd rather be back shouldering a gun."

Hyle's face grew glowering.

"No, I wouldn't. But I would if . . ."

"If what, soldier?" Mike asked, chuckling.

Hyle opened his mouth and then shut it. He started getting to his feet. His right arm went up, but paused in midair.

"At ease, soldier!" A pleasant voice said.

An officer . . . Captain Schmidt, of their regiment, came up the path which led to the Demarcation Line, a quarter of a mile away. He stood above the two, after Hyle Blaven had resumed his seat on the grass and nodded. Mike and Hyle nodded back.

"Two boys taking the afternoon off?" Schmidt asked.

"Well, we're on leave, sir," Mike began, with just a faint touch of annoyance in his voice.

"Oh, I didn't think you weren't, Mike," the Captain said. "But you're aiming at Officer's Candidate, aren't you?"

Mike nodded again, breaking out into a smile. "That's right, sir."

"And you, too, Blaven?"

"That's right, sir."

Schmidt waggled his head.

"Well," he said. "I've got my eye on both of you, and I'll tell it to you straight: a candidate for Officer's rank makes on his time off. Recreation is well and good, but . . . well . . ." Schmidt broke off and his eyes twinkled. "In the four days of leave you've had already, I haven't seen you at anything but recreation!"

"Well, I'm planning to hone up all night, Captain," Hyle said.

"Me, too," Mike quickly chimed in.

"And four days, eh?" Schmidt shook his head. "It won't do. A soldier owes it to himself to get his regular sleep . . . else he wouldn't be worth much as a soldier, when action might require him to lose a lot of it."

"Why . . . uh . . . you're right, Captain," Mike agreed.

Schmidt smiled keenly and walked on.

"A busybody," Hyle growled to himself, as soon as the Captain was out of earshot.

"Well, I dunno . . ." Mike said doubtfully. "Maybe he has something there, in his advice."

"Yeah . . . maybe. Trouble is, he always favors suspicious guys like Bob Filger," Hyle said.

"You figure something's wrong with Bob?" Mike asked.

"That's what I mean when I said I might rather be back here shouldering a gun down on the guard line. I'd feel safer. I didn't trust Filger. He always keeps to himself, and he's got a box in his barracks he won't let anybody look in. But that isn't all . . ."

"No? What else?" Mike asked.

"That's what I mean," Hyle said, his voice suddenly low and mysterious. He pointed discreetly. "There's Bob Filger."

On a rise due east about a thousand yards, a khaki-clad figure had appeared out of the brush and was staring at the distant Demarcation Line through field glasses.

Mike gasped.

"You didn't mean he might be . . ."

"He might be in cahoots with the enemy," Hyle said.

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For a moment Mike said nothing, just watched the distant figure scanning the ridges north of them. He saw Bob Filger put the field glasses away, take a big drawing pad out of a rucksack and start marking something down on the paper with a pencil.

"Yeah . . . and he's studyin' for Officer's Candidate, too," Mike said. "I see what you mean, Hyle. But, after all, what he's doin' might just be somethin' good, not bad."

"When a guy hides things from everybody, even his officers, that's bad, not good," Hyle said.

And Mike shook his head in agreement.

At eight o'clock that evening, with curfew three hours old for soldiers on leave, Hyle came to Mike's barracks. Soldiers on leave from duty, who weren't going back to Seoul, each had a small room to himself, for the period of the leave.

"Come on," Hyle said diamatically. "I just saw him head for the Demarcation Line. It's our chance."

"You mean follow him, in the dark?" Mike asked. "What for? The fun?"

"Not follow him, but do our plain duty and look in that mysterious box of his," Hyle said. "I've seen him wander all around the Line before. He's on leave, too. And maybe we can find out from any papers in that box whom he's meeting." Again, Hyle lowered his voice. "If he is passin' information on to the enemy, we'll get promoted to officers for finding it out."

Mike got up, nodding eagerly. Putting on his cap, he followed Hyle out of his barracks.

"It's our duty," Mike added, with growing enthusiasm. "We're protectin' the Armed Forces of the United States. And the rules and regulations say so!"

They crossed the camp compound at a slow pace, warily glancing at the barracks building.

"Looks the rooms aren't locked," Mike said, referring to the rule forbidding the locking of rooms in case of fire.

"Let's hope the rooms over his are empty, too," Hyle said.

They went into the barracks. Most of it was dark. The whole end of the building in which Bob's room was located was entirely empty. Quickly, they

gained the corridor leading to the main hall, then went down past the general barracks and into the small corridor of single rooms. They opened Bob's door and slipped inside. A flashlight flared in Hyle's hand and spotted a dark hulk under the simple army cot in one corner. Mike dragged it out. It looked like a foot locker, but had been built of thick oak, not with locks. Mike fingered the lock.

"He forgot to lock it this time!" Mike said, and threw the lid open, at the same instant that Hyle threw the flashlight beam into the oak box. Both men gasped.

"It's a model of this whole section of the front!" Mike said. He fingered the papier mache construction that filled the bottom of the chest, pointed at the buildings and the minimal painted figures of American soldiers. "Got all our guard points on it, too." He paused and searched up a piece of paper. "Lines to this!" he said hoarsely. "It reads 'Most sentry soldiers at usual time at usual place night of the 20th'. And this is the night of the twenty-first!"

Hyle's head snapped up. Deep in the barracks, footsteps were approaching.

"Let's beat it, if it's him . . . then we can jump him and take him into the Captain ourselves!" Hyle said.

They hid in a closet down the corridor. Voices echoed down the corridor and two men approached. The first voice was Captain Schmidt's. It said, "How did you do it, Filger?"

Bob Filger laughed. "I'm good with my hands, sir. As part of studying, I made a model of this sector of the front. Then I saw how easy it would be for a spy to take photos with infrared light of our gun positions from one special point. I watched and spotted him, watched again . . . and went out and grabbed him tonight."

"He'll be on his way to Seoul in a hour," Schmidt said. "And Filger, I'm recommending you for Officer's Candidate immediately. You've other materials? You proved it with that model and by intense study?"

Two silent figures opened the closet door and stepped down the corridor toward the barracks exit. Mike Marks said, "I'm going back to studyin'."

Hyle Haven said, "Me too!"

THE END G-III

NORTH OF SEOUL, STAND THREE HILLS COMMANDING A CORRIDOR WHICH HAS BEEN USED AS AN INVASION PATH FOR CENTURIES! IN 1592, GENERAL KONISHI'S HORDE TRAMPLED THIS ROUTE DURING HIS CONQUEST OF ASIA! IN 1950, THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST ARMY FOLLOWED SUIT AND RACED TO INVADE SOUTH KOREA! BUT 7 MONTHS LATER, THE **U.S. MARINES** FOUGHT THEIR WAY THRU THE CORRIDOR AND TOOK POSSESSION OF THE THREE KEYS TO SEOUL! AND FOR THE NEXT 2 YEARS, WHILE TALKS OF PEACE FILLED THE TENTS OF NEIGHBORING PANMUNJOM, THE REDS TRIED TO RETAKE THE THREE HILLS BY . . .

COUNTER-ATTACK!

SINCE THE TWO ARMIES FIRST USED THE KOREAN CORRIDOR, THREE HILLS DOMINATING IT HAVE BEEN CALLED THE KEYS TO SEOUL! THE COMMUNISTS HAVE HELD THEM SINCE THEIR CAPTURE IN 1951! NOW THEY'RE TRYING TO CAPTURE THEM AGAIN, VIA HILL 200!
RED WILL BE STOPPED RIGHT THIS TIME! CAPTAIN, AFTER I BLOW UP THE HILL OF SPIKES, ATTACK!

THE LEGIONS HAD BROKEN THAT COUNTER-ATTACK ON MARCH 14 AGAINST THE *FIFTH MARAUDER* AND *CARRION ARMY*, AND FOUR HOURS LATER THE RED BANDS HAD BROKE...

THE REDS HAD THE ANSWER TO THE ASSASSINS' QUESTION, AND THE PROBLEM THAT WENT WITH IT...

BUT LIKE ALL BANDITS, THEY'LL BE BACK FOR *MORE* TOMORROW!
YEAH, THEY'VE BEEN LITTLE COUNTER-ATTACKS ON *RED* HERE AND *CARRION* FOR OVER TWO YEARS, BUT AS SOON AS THEY RUN UP FOR A BATTLE THEY SKULDON BACK HOME AGAIN!

NOW THAT WE'VE OUR CONTACTS AT PENNSYLVANIA HAVE SPOILED THE PEACE TALKS TO GIVE US THE OPPORTUNITY TO CAPTURE THOSE THREE IMPORTANT HOSTAGES THEY WOULD BE ON *OUR* SIDE OF THE TRUCE LINE!
BUT WE HAVE FAILED AND NOW THEY CANNOT STAY MUCH LONGER, THEY SAY WE MUST TAKE THE THREE *HOSTAGES* BY *APRIL 3RD!*

THE COUNTER-ATTACK WHICH THE REDS HAD LAUNCHED THE MORNING WHEN DUFF SLEPT...

BUT FOUR DAYS PASSED AND THE MARINES ON ALL THREE HILLS HAD THE SAME REPORT...

NOW ELEVEN DAYS *RED* AND *CARRION* HAVE BEEN ATTACKING... AT FACE...

YOU THINK THE REDS HAVE GIVEN UP THEY CAN?
BEFORE A LOOSE CANNON OF CLOSE RANGE HE'D REALLY TRIED TO GET EVEN BY *"SHOOTING THE MESSENGER"* OR BUT IS THAT *TRUE* THAT THE REDS ARE GIVING UP FOR?

LOOKS LIKE THE KRAUTS ARE BETTER THAN WE SHOULD HAVE ON THESE THREE HILLS!

AMMO TOO... WE'VE NEED IT A HUNDRED - HUNDRED TIMES OVER!
YOU'LL HAVE AND MORE WILL BE THERE BEFORE YOU CAN SAY NOMTENANT!
AH / I'VE PUMP THE SHELLS IS RIGHT ON!

OUR COMPANY STAYED IN THEIR HOLES UNTIL THEY WERE RELIEVED BY THE 3RD BATTALION OF THE 7TH MARINES AND AT DAWN WHEN THE LAST ALLIED UNIT HAD PASSED THROUGH THEIR LINES, BEGAN THEIR TREK FOR THE TOP OF HILL 488...
COMPANY, HALT! THEIR COMMANDER COMING!
HOW? WE HAVE THEM OUTNUMBERED! THEY WILL NEVER REACH THE TOP!
AN AVALANCHE OF SMALL ARMS AND AUTOMATIC-GUN FIRE AND GRENADES POURED DOWN ON THE 3RD BATTALION SURGING AS THEY CLIMBED...
NO HOW THERE AIN'T NO JOHNNY IN CAPS!
HEAR THE TOO HOT? WELL, WAIT TO GO BACK WHERE WE CAME FROM!
A MARINE LINED FOR BEING UNDER FIRE!
AND ON HILL 488 COMPANY WAS POUNDED BACK BY AND FLAK ARTILLERY SHELLS THAT CAME AT THEM AT THE RATE OF TEN ROUNDS PER SECOND...
WE'RE HEADED BACK WHERE WE CAN REGROUP AND TRY ANOTHER COUNTER ATTACK!
THE COWARD COLONEL ON HILL 488 WATCHED THE PROGRESS OF THE BATTLE...
HEY! HE GAMBLED OUR LIVES AGAINST ODDS ON THIS PLAN AND NOT ONE MARINE BEHIND ANOTHER HILL SETS THE THREE MILES WILL BE READY!
BUT COMRADE COLONEL, OBVIOUSLY THERE ARE MANY AMERICANS TO BOMB US!
THEY WILL NOT DROP BOMBS ON US BECAUSE THEIR OWN TROOPS ARE ONLY 50 YARDS BELOW US!
BUT THE PLANES FROM THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER HAD SPREAD DOWN AND STARTED LAYING THEIR EGGS ON HILL 488...
TWENTY-THREE BLESSED MINUTES LATER THE LAST STRAFE HAD DIED AND THE MARINE LINES HAD CLOSED WITH THE REMNANTS OF THEIR COMPANY...
WITHOUT BOMBING A SINGLE TANK HE HAVE ONLY DID MORE FROM THE TARGET!
HOW LONG BEFORE WE CAN RESUME THE JOB, SERGEANT, SIR?

SERGEANT, YOUR PLATOON OFFICER HAS BEEN KILLED! ARE YOU SAY YOU TAKE OVER?
YES, SIR!
LEON, CARRY THE WOUNDED BACK AND CONTACT CP OF THE 82ND AIRBORNE DIV. COMMAND TO ATTACK ASAP!
ALL RIGHT, SIR!
YES, THAT'S WHAT I SAID! 82ND AIRBORNE WITH SOME ARTILLERY AND
ALL RIGHT, SIR!
A SHORT TIME LATER THE ARTILLERY WAS BY THE AMERICAN SIDE...
BUT THEY WERE UNABLE TO CONTACT ANYONE ON THE 82ND AIRBORNE...
THE ATTACK ACCORDINGLY WAS CALLED OFF...
THE CAT HORNED IT AND HAS CONTINUED TURN AND THAT WAS THE TOP REAL ESTATE...
COUNTER-ATTACK
AMERICANS, ALL IS LOST!
ALL IS LOST!
CHAPTER XXVI
The Battle of Vegas Ridge
AND SO ENDED THE THREE DAYS TO KEEPER RUSHING THE APPROACHES TO VEGAS ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE DESERT AND THE ARMORED COLUMN WAS ANNIHILATED AND LOST

Bass Fishermen will Say I'm Crazy . . . *until they try my method!*

But, after an honest trial, if you're at all like the other men to whom I've told my simple plan, you'll guard it with your last breath.

Don't jump at conclusions. I'm not a manufacturer of any fancy new lure. I have no rods or lines to sell. I'm a professional man and make a good living in my profession. But my all-absorbing hobby is fishing. And, quite by accident, I've discovered how to go to waters that everyone else says are fished out and come in with a limit catch of the biggest bass that you ever saw. The savage old bass that got so big, because they were "wise" to every ordinary way of fishing.

This method is not spinning, trolling, casting, fly fishing, trot line fishing, set line fishing, hand line fishing, live bait fishing, jugging, netting, trapping, or seining, and does not even faintly resemble any of these standard methods of fishing. No live bait or prepared bait is used. You can carry all of the equipment you need in one hand.

The whole method can be learned in twenty minutes—twenty minutes of fascinating reading. All the extra equipment you need, you can buy locally at a cost of less than a dollar. Yet with it, you can come in after an hour or two of the greatest excitement of your life, with a stringer full. Not one or two miserable 12 or 14 inch over-sized keepers—but five or six real beauties with real poundage behind them. The kind that don't need a word of explanation of the professional skill of the man who caught them. Absolutely legal, too—in every state.

This amazing method was developed by a little group of professional fishermen. Though they are public guides, they rarely divulge their method to their patrons. They use it only when fishing for their own tables. It is probable that no man on your waters has ever **seen it,** ever **heard of it,** or ever **used it.** And when you have given it the first trial, you will be as close-mouthed as a man who has suddenly discovered a gold mine. Because with this method you can fish within a hundred feet of the best fishermen in the county and pull in ferocious big ones while they come home empty handed. No special skill is required. The method is just as deadly in the hands of a novice as in the hands of an old timer. My method will be disclosed only to a few in each area—men who will give me their word of honor not to give the method to anyone else.

Send me your name. Let me tell you how you can try out this deadly method of bringing in big bass from your "fished out" waters. Let me tell you why I let you try out my unusual method without risking a penny of your money on instructions or lures. There is no charge for this information, now or at any other time. Just your name is all I need. But I guarantee that the information I send you will make you a complete skeptic—until once you try it! And then, your own catches will fill you with disbelief. Send your name, today. This will be fun.

ERIC U. FARE, 317 S. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville, Ill.

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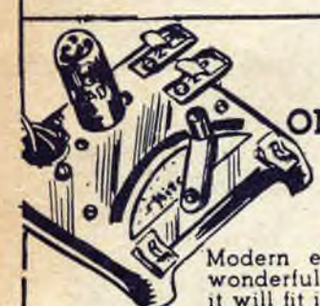

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